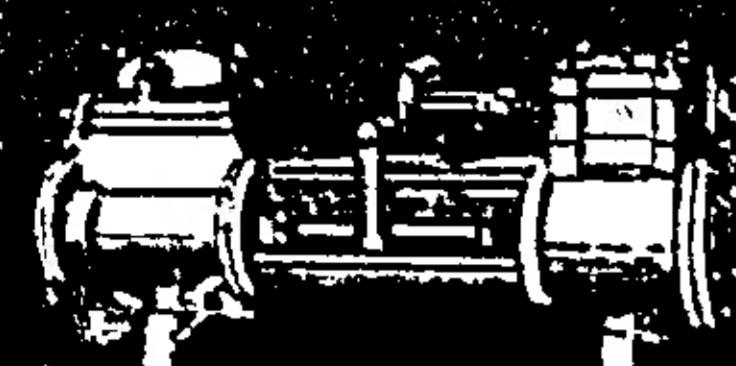


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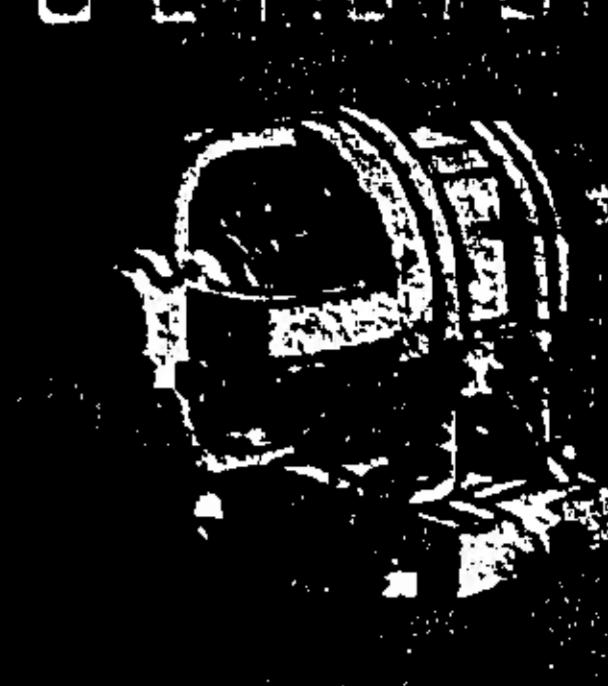
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THE WASHINGTON CONFERENCE.

Britain Supports the Open Door.

(Reuter's Service.)

Washington, November 18.

British opinion is that the open door can be best realised by international co-operation, with the assistance of traders. It is incidentally suggested that the development of China would be greatly forwarded by the construction of railways which would help other nations' relations with China. It is indicated that no strong British objection will be made to the relinquishment of Wei-hai-wei and other similar leasehold territory.

It is authoritatively stated that Britain is anxious to do everything possible to enable China to assume her proper place in the commercial world. Britain thinks that this is best attainable through the policy of the open door, leaving China free to carry out her own destiny.

Forecast of Remarkable Japanese Programme in China.

London, November 18.

The Manchester *Guardian*'s Washington correspondent cites a report with reserve, although declaring the authority good, to the effect that the Japanese delegates will propose the following terms regarding China: Japan to surrender Shantung and the Twenty-One Demands of the spring of 1915; Japan requires a closer definition of the open door and the integrity of China, contends that China should consist of the eighteen provinces south of the Great Wall, excluding Tibet, and proposes a Japanese protectorate over Manchuria as over Korea; and urges Britain to take over Tibet.

New York Journal's Sympathy with Japan.

New York, November 18.

The *Times* regards it as of good augury that Britain, Japan, and France received the Chinese proposals with approval, and hopes that this attitude will be maintained, because the guarantees for which China asks are indispensable to a good understanding regarding the East; therefore, for the execution of any naval agreement the newspaper thinks that the proposals would be more easily dealt with if a stable Chinese Government existed, and considers that China asks nothing not inherently belonging to every nation. The journal opines that the Western nations must give proof of their good faith by placing China on her feet politically because they cannot well insist that Japan should make all the sacrifices.

Work on the Four New Ships Suspended.

London, November 18.

In connection with a report from Glasgow that Clyde contracts for three capital ships have been suspended, that steel-works are also affected, and that Parkhead Forge closes to-morrow, at the Admiralty shows that instructions have been despatched to the firms engaged in building the four warships of the super-Hood type not to incur further liabilities on the new construction until further instructions.

Disarmament to be Further Discussed on Monday.

Washington, November 18.

Mr. Hughes has summoned the next plenary session of the Disarmament Conference for Monday, when, it is expected, M. Briand will explain the French view on land armaments, as neither the Naval Armaments committee nor the Far Eastern committee is likely to be ready to report on Monday.

New York, November 18.

Mr. Schwab, President of the Iron and Steel Institute, declared that disarmament might involve a loss to armament makers, but if permanent peace was possible he would gladly see the war-making plants of his companies sunk at the bottom of the ocean.

THE FRANCO-KEMALIST AGREEMENT.

Friendly French Reply.

London, November 18.

The French Government's reply to the British *aide de memoire* regarding the Franco-Kemalist treaty is couched in friendly terms. It declares that the evacuation of Turkish territory has been made dependent upon guarantees in favour of non-Turkish minorities, and expresses willingness to incorporate the Ankara agreement with some general agreement with Turkey embodying the former treaties with a view to a settlement of the Near Eastern question.

THE USE OF WHITE-LEAD.

Compromise Convention.

Geneva, November 18.

The Labour Conference adopted by 76 votes to 3 the draft of a convention prohibiting, with certain exceptions, the use of white-lead in painting. The convention is a compromise between the ideas of workers, employees, and certain Governments.

GERMAN WAR CRIMINAL'S REPORTED ESCAPE.

Sinking of the Llandover Castle Recalled.

Berlin, November 18.

The German war criminal, Boldt, who was sentenced on July 16 in connection with the sinking of the Llandover Castle, is reported to have escaped from the prison at Hamburg, where he was assigned "a position of trust".

GERMAN-DUTCH SHIPPING COMBINE.

10-Day Sailings to the E. Indies.

London, November 18.

The German-Australian, the Kosmos, and the Hollandsche Stoomvaart Mij. Oceanus companies have signed an agreement to work a joint service between Europe and the East Indies, sailing every ten days.

HUGO STINNES ACQUIRES MORE NEWSPAPERS.

Paris, November 18.

A message from Vienna states that Herr Stinnes has acquired the prominent Hungarian newspaper.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

A Glimpse at Our Files.

(November 21-28, 1896)

The first ordinary general meeting of the Two Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd., was held at Shanghai on the 13th inst., at the offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., general managers. The chairman, in his opening speech, said he hoped to see the mill at work soon after China New Year. Resolutions re-electing committee were passed.

THE FRENCH AT KWANG CHOW-WAN.

We receive information this afternoon that the French cruiser, *Alexis*, which left here on the 17th ult., for a "cruise," returning on the 7th inst., has been engaged in surveying Kuang-chow Bay on the north-east coast of Lei (Lui) Chow Peninsula, which is near Kuang-chow, the capital of Hainan Island, and Pak-oi in Kwangtung Province. Our informant thinks there is no doubt the French are keeping an eye on the island of Hainan and Liuchow Peninsula and that the southward advance of Russia in the north will shortly be followed by a French "move" in the south unless something

happens to checkmate French designs on the southernmost provinces of China. The French are just now making a great fuss about the attack on Berthoin's factory at Pakhoi!—really a very trivial affair—and then there is the Marty difficulty which has been kept an open sore for a very long time, and as the Chinese seem to think the French claims are unreasonable, they have been very stubborn and, it appears, still evade payment. Messrs. Marty's claim arose out of a question of influence, it being alleged, if we remember rightly, that certain Chinese officials in Hainan had exerted their influence to injure the business of Messrs. Marty and Co. A heavy claim was made by the French firm for damages.

VANDALS.

One of the lions ornamenting the base of the fountain opposite City Hall, in Queen's Road, has had a sorry kind of joke played upon him. Some mischievous individual has emptied a quantity of what appears to be red ink over poor Leo's face and body, and needless to say, the decoration has not improved his appearance. It is a pity that Vandals of this type could not be made to interview Captain Hastings at the Magistracy, as they would doubtless then find that such flights of art were rather expensive. Can it be possible that we have in our midst ruffians of the same school as those who committed the disgraceful outrage on the Queen's Status at Bombay, lately.

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SUN YAT-SEN.

The alleged kidnapping at London of a Chinaman, Dr. Sun Yat-Sen by name, a conspirator against the Imperial Chinese dynasty, turns out to be arrest and detention. Sir Halliday MacCallum, the Secretary to the Chinese Ambassador, explained the man was never arrested, but walked

MONDAY'S CONCERT.

A Musical Treat.

Mr. Harry Ore's third historical recital is being given at the City Hall (St. Andrew's Hall) on Monday afternoon, when Hongkong music lovers will be given the opportunity of hearing Mr. Dan Onderwizer, a well-known Dutch baritone. Mr. Onderwizer is extremely well-known throughout the Far East as a concert singer, having given concerts throughout the Straits Settlements, in Singapore, and Japan, whilst he has often assisted in concerts given in many of the European capitals. The *Straits Times* said of him:—"There was none better during the whole evening. He possesses great power and fine musical judgment and his power of expression, from forte to piano, was a delight." We have seen many other highly complimentary press notices and it is certain that those who attend on Monday will be well rewarded.

The concert is being given under the patronage of Lady Subba. The following is the programme: Third Sonata, A major, op. 120, (a) Allegro moderato, (b) Andante, (c) Allegro, Mr. Harry Ore.

Nacht und Traume, Der Neurige und Aufenthalts, by Mr. Dan Onderwizer.

Military March (arr. by Tausig) Mr. Harry Ore.

All the above items being by Schubert (1797-1828).

The second half of the programme will be opened by Mr. Harry Ore rendering Mendelssohn's *Prelude and Fugue with Choral*, to be followed by Mr. Underwizer giving (a) Widmung, (b) Du bist wie eine Blume, (c) Die zwei Grenadiere and the playing by Mr. Ore of Etudes symphoniques, op. 13, all by Schumann (1810-1856).

The concluding item (by special request) will be Mr. Onderwizer's singing of Prolog's dell opera "Pagliacci" (Le novallo).

into the Chinese Legation. Upon this he was arrested and detained, because the Legation ground is Chinese territory. Lord Salisbury took a different view, and intimated that the action of the Legation was most irregular and could not be tolerated. The man was released. Sir Halliday MacCallum, having regard to all the circumstances, however, considers that the Legation was justified in detaining the man. But he has given assurances that it is not intended to repeat the incident.

A VERY GOOD REASON.

One of the Chinese prisoners at the Supreme Court to-day objected to a Chinese jurymen on the ground that he did not know him. This rather annoyed the Court, and his Lordship said that was a very good reason why the man should be on the jury. The prisoner explained that he was afraid the juror was ignorant of English law. The Court, however, was satisfied and the juror was retained.

QUITE SO.

Mr. Chamberlain, speaking at Birmingham, said he did not believe that the German commercial competition would over-power British trade, as the national character of the British would enable them to retain the trade.

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DEBATING SOCIETY.A "Parliamentary
Election."

The Taikoo Club Debating Society opened their season last night with a "Parliamentary Election." There were about fifty present in the Club Hall and a keen and interesting fight resulted. Mr. D. B. Bone was the Independent Labour candidate and Mr. J. Simpson was the Coalition candidate.

The Independent Labour candidate was introduced by Mr. McNeillie, who, in the course of his speech, said the Party had studied politics and Mr. Churchill had no right to say that Labour had no right to rule the country.

Mr. D. B. Bone, who read from a manuscript, desired a solution of the Labour question. He was not going to make any promises, he said, because it would be many years before the country would obtain the full benefit. They would have to remember their sacred duty to posterity before civilisation could get much further. The speaker urged that the League of Nations should be supported, and he went on to refer to the horrors of war and the tremendous expense of armaments. He condemned vocational education and maintained that what was wanted was training in character and citizenship. He thought that the question of unemployment would be dealt with to a great extent if the land was nationalised and the housing schemes put in hand. Distribution, he thought, should be re-organised.

Mr. M. J. Eldridge, who introduced the Coalition candidate, argued that when the war was on and they had to get the best brains of all parties, they had the Coalition, which brought about a successful termination of the war. They had done well in the past, but they had many things to face—the German indemnity, the Irish question, unemployment, the stabilisation of exchange—which, if left to party politics, would never be brought to a successful issue.

Mr. J. Simpson, the Coalition candidate, urged that the country's welfare should be put before party politics. In practice what had the Labour Party done for Australia? Take New South Wales, whose Government was Labour. Not only was the country on the verge of bankruptcy but the taxation amounted to almost breaking point and unemployment was greater there than in almost any part of the Empire. But the people there were getting tired of it and out of the last five bye-elections the Government had lost five seats. For the sake of King and Country they should sink party politics and if they all united, what better Government could they have? They should put their country's good before party feeling and vote Coalition.

Questions were then invited. Mr. Simpson said his idea was that Ireland should have Home Rule but in the Empire in a similar manner to the Colonies. He was not in favour of income tax in Hongkong, he said, amidst laughter in reply to another questioner.

Mr. D. Young, in proposing Mr. Bone, said it was not only the question of an attractive programme that had to be considered. They had been disappointed before. It was not programme; it was the candidate. The speaker, who had apparently swallowed a dictionary, greatly amused the gathering by enumerating his candidate's good points. It was a marvelous speech, and although the speaker seemed a bit bashful at first, he warmed up gradually and by the time he had reached his umpteenth folio (his speech was written) one began to wonder why he did not put up for Parliament himself or, better still, exercise a little bit of influence with the view to obtaining a seat on our Legislative Council. He wound up amidst loud applause.

Mr. J. Russell seconded and after the other candidate had been proposed and seconded the ballot was taken. It resulted as follows:

Mr. D. B. Bone, Ind. Lab., 24 votes;

Mr. J. Simpson, Coalition, 16 votes.

NEW LINER LAUNCHED. Built for the Australian Commonwealth, the steamer Hobson's Bay was launched at Barrow from Vicker's shipyard last month. She is 548 ft. long, and has a displacement of 23,120 tons. She will accommodate over 700 passengers. At Glasgow, the Tarragona (16,700 tons) was launched for the Anchor Line.

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CHINA'S FUTURE.

The Question Of Supervision.

Speaking at the concluding session of the Conference of British Chambers of Commerce at Shanghai, Mr. W. B. Kennett, Chairman of the Conference in committee, reviewed the work of the meetings, and discussed the present disturbed situation in China. In concluding his speech he made the following observations:

Intervention has an ugly sound. It implies that the impulse and desire come from without. I venture to think that in the present state of affairs in China the desire for help might come from within. China would naturally resent uninvited interference with her affairs. But who does not ask for foreign assistance in the work of re-organization? I think that there are two principal reasons. First she thinks that foreign assistance might imply foreign aggression, foreign control, and possibly the loss of her integrity as an independent Sovereign State; and secondly, her pride stands in the way. She is somewhat in the position of a man owning a car which he has not learned to drive, and hesitating to ask for help and instruction, first, lest the instructor might stay too long in the car, and secondly, lest he might lose face by admitting his inability to drive. China has recognised that the methods of government and administration prevailing in all modern civilized nations, subject to modifications necessary to meet the nature and temperament of the people, are the methods which she must eventually adopt. The clock cannot now be set back several centuries, yet the machinery for government and administration on modern lines does not exist in China, and she hesitates to set up such machinery and teach her to run it for fear that her national independence may be lost. Is there any great danger of such an eventuality in these days? The present tendency is against aggression by one nation against another. It is fully recognized that aggression by any one Power against any other does not concern those two Powers only but is a matter of world-wide concern. Obviously any assistance given to China must not be of an aggressive and self-seeking nature, but must be friendly in its elements and unselfish in its aims. The Powers concerned could surely take together such precautionary measures that no one of them would be able to take advantage of China's needs to further selfish or improper ends.

We fully recognise that international jealousies still exist, and that there are many difficulties in the way of foreign help to

China to enable her to re-organise on modern lines her Government and Public Services, including the provision of codes of laws suitable to modern requirements, and the re-organisation of the judicial system; but there are always difficulties in the way of every attempt at reform and improvement, and I venture to think that one of these difficulties equals in gravity the danger of a continuance of the present state of chaos in China. The second obstacle, which I have presumed, to a request from China for foreign assistance is that China might consider it an injury to her pride; but China is in the throes of transition to a new system for the working of which her past system of Government and Administration has not provided her with a sufficient number of trained men. No man thinks it a derogation from his dignity to ask for assistance and instruction in setting up and working new and complicated machinery. Surely China need not hesitate to ask for assistance under present circumstances. No injury to her pride which would be thereby incurred can equal the injury to her prestige which results from the present utterly discreditable state of affairs. If China would see fit to employ foreign experts, they might be part and parcel of her own public services. They might be considered as experts tending aid rather than foreign officials exercising control.

I say without any hesitation that the Resolutions relating to the present state of China spring from feelings of the greatest friendship towards the Chinese people. We recognize that the Chinese people as a whole ardently desire good government, good administration and clear justice. If some of those exercising power in China to-day have contrary desires, we are convinced that they do not truly represent the Chinese people, and we think that the time will come when all, instead of a minority of those who hold and those who seek power in China will realize that the underlying principle of men who enter public services in civilized communities is not a desire for the emoluments of office, but a desire to render service to the State.

I am confident that I correctly interpret the spirit of this Conference when I say that we are firm friends of the Chinese people: we seek no rights which are incompatible with justice to them, and will lend our support to no schemes which are inconsistent with their best interests.

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Y. TSUTSUMI. Manager. Hongkong, 19th Nov., 1921.

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THE THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the offices of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 10th December, 1921 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ended 30th September 1921, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from THURSDAY, the 1st December 1921 until SATURDAY, the 10th December 1921, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN TOME & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 19th December, 1921.

CITY HALL.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT.

Madame Lottie Cordon's Afternoon Concert. 15th December, at 3.30 p.m.

For Christmas Gifts for the Blind Home and Pokfulon Home. Tickets \$1.00.

ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.

FINAL OF CHAMPIONSHIP.

The above will be played over the Old Course at Fanling on Sunday 20th November.

First Round at 10 a.m.

Second Round at 2 p.m.

Finalists—Messrs. R. Melville Smith and H. R. Buckland.

J. B. ROSS, Hon. Secretary.

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POSTPONED till WEDNESDAY, November 23rd.

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Band

Cocoonut Shies, Shooting the Chute, Shooting Gallery, Refreshments, etc.

The "FAIRY CHAIN" at 5.30 p.m.

THE STEAM LAUNDRY COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Steam Laundry Company Limited will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Alexandra Building, Victoria, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the Thirtieth day of November, 1921, at noon, when the subjoined Resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the Fourteenth day of November, 1921, will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions:

(1) That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited and with a view thereto this Company be wound up voluntarily and that Charles Bernard Brown of Messrs. Linstead and Davis be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

(2) That the conditional Agreement submitted to the meeting for the amalgamation of this Company with the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited upon the terms (inter alia) of the acquisition by the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited of the complete undertaking, business, goodwill, and property of this Company in return for the issue to this Company of 8,000 (Eight thousand) shares of the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited of the nominal value of \$10 each credited as fully paid up and the payment of \$10,000 by the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited to Messrs. Linstead and Davis, the General Managers of this Company by way of bonus and compensation for loss of office as General Managers of this Company by reason of the transfer of the business, property and undertaking of the Company to the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited and in consideration of the payment to Edward John Chapman, the Managing Director of this Company of \$1,000 to William Samuel Brown a Director of this Company of \$1,000 and to Charles Bernard Brown, the Secretary of this Company of \$1,000 by way of bonus and compensation for their loss of office as Managing Director, Director and Secretary respectively by reason of the aforesaid amalgamation be and the same is hereby approved and the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorised pursuant to Section 185 of the Companies Ordinance 1911 to adopt the said Agreement and carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications either before or after the execution thereof as the said Liquidator may think expedient.

(3) The aforesaid 8,000 shares of the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited shall in pursuance of clause 7 of the aforesaid Agreement be allotted to shareholders on the register of shareholders of the Steam Laundry Company Limited on the Thirtieth day of November 1921.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 30th day of November 1921, to the 6th day of December 1921, both days inclusive.

Dated the 15th day of Nov., 1921.

By Order of the Board.

C. BERNARD BROWN, Secretary.

THE ELEPHANTS (H.M.S. COLOMBO)

will present a varied programme at the Theatre Royal on November 24th and 25th, in aid of the WIDOW & CHILDREN of a dead shipmate, for whom no provision is made from Public Funds.

Bookings at Montre's.

You must reserve the dates, 24th and 25th November, at 9.15 p.m.

"—And the greatest of these, is CHARITY."

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"That in the event of any of the 8,000 shares of the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited of the nominal value of \$10 each credited as fully paid the subject matter of the Special Resolution of this Company passed on the 14th day of November 1921 and confirmed this day being unallotted by reason of any of the shareholders of this Company holding such a number of shares as would entitle such shareholder to a fraction of a share of the Hongkong Hotel Company Limited shall be sold by the Liquidator of this Company and the net proceeds shall be divided amongst those members of this Company who would have been entitled to such fractions in due proportion."

Dated this 15th day of Nov., 1921.

By Order of the Board.

C. BERNARD BROWN, Secretary.

FOR HAIPHONG AND HOIHOW.

Sale for Haiphong and Hoihow every alternate Tuesday. The following passes between HAI-HUN (Capt. Charles E. Page). Sun. 29th November, 1921. Leaving Haiphong, Sun. 27th December, 1921. App. 3rd, 10th, 17th and 24th of Po Hing Tai, 114, Wing Lok Street.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

Regatta.

Members are reminded that the First Scratch Regatta will be held at Black Boulder Point on Sunday the 4th of December, when the following will form the Programme of events:

(1) Senior Fours, (2) Junior Fours, (3) Junior Tubs, (4) Beginners Pairs.

For further particulars consult Notice Board.

Beginners are requested to attend at the Club regularly for instruction.

A Launch will leave Murray Pier on the 4th of December at 10 a.m. with members and their friends.

Dance.

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HONGKONG BOXING ASSOCIATION.

First TOURNAMENT of Season. THEATRE ROYAL Saturday, November 20th, at 9.15 p.m. Main Event: Featherweight Championship of the Colony. Teddy Neal Hongkong.

Leading Stoker Britt H. M. S. "Cairo" Prices \$5.—(ringside) \$3.—(reserved) and \$1.—(unreserved)

Booking at MOUNTIES. Members only (on production of Current Membership Cards). Tuesday, November 22nd. General Public Wednesday, November 23rd, to Saturday, November 26th.

WORLD WIDE SPORT.

Harold Horler is one of the bright stars in the Australasian Rugby party now in England. He is very fast. So delighted were the Hull people at his play that they gave him a great ovation and carried him off the field shoulder high.

Over 300 centuries were made in first-class English cricket this year, against 167 last year. Of the former figure, 227 were got in county championship games against 143 in 1920.

It is understood that the cheap ticket concession to football clubs has been agreed upon by a conference of all the railway companies.

Writing on the girl and boy match, a London critic says: "I must say that the entertainment was very mild and the golf very poor. It seems horribly unkind to say so of two young golfers, who played with perseverance, modesty, and good humour, but there are limits to the meadacity even of a golf reporter. It was a sorry business, and it was a good thing when it was over, for at least the cherry jam at tea was unsurpassable."

It is complained on behalf of Tom Cowler that Frank Goddard will not meet him, even though a purse of £1,000 is at their disposal. Cowler is prepared to meet any heavy-weight in England. Joe Beckett preferred.

THEATRE ROYAL.

TONIGHT! TONIGHT! TONIGHT!

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MARJORIE CLARK as "ELIZA"

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The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1921.

CANTON'S DUTY.

Genuinely, we are a little disappointed at the way the Canton Government is administering the two Kwangs. Until a little while ago it seemed as though we were going to get good government at last. The military faction in Kwangtung was driven out after a somewhat prolonged and costly struggle, an enlightened man was put in as Governor of Kwangtung, the province of Kwangtung itself was being decently governed and there was plenty of evidence of improvement all round. People began to say that the Canton Government had proved itself worthy of support; it was doing the right thing. Instead of keeping that very fine public opinion it is losing it, simply because at the present time the province of Kwangtung and also parts of Kwangtung are overrun by bandits, pirates and robbers. As we pointed out on a previous occasion, we fully recognise the difficulties of the situation which Canton has to face, though we cannot help thinking there has been a mistake made in the policy which has of late been adopted.

No sooner had the Canton forces succeeded in extending Canton's authority over Kwangtung than President Sun Yat-sen dreams of a conquest of the north. There was no actual withdrawal of troops for some time (thanks, apparently, to the advice of General Chan King-ming) but there has lately been a big military concentration in the neighbourhood of Kweilin with the result that the soldiers who were keeping order in the various disturbed districts are no longer there. Bands of dispersed Kwangtung soldiers, all still fully armed, are being allowed what seems something like a free hand. They are causing a reign of terror in certain districts, are attacking and looting whole villages, kidnapping and killing the innocent folk of the country-side. Our Canton correspondent speaks of trade being absolutely at a standstill in many places and of trading junks being afraid to trade. Even our contemporary, the *Canton Times*, has made reference to the prevalence of these armed marauders and there is no question whatsoever that piracy and brigandage is going on on a scale almost unknown before. Now, that is a serious matter for the Canton Government, because the people not only have a right to protection but because the worth of any government consists of its ability to govern.

Canton had a wonderful chance to succeed by the power of example—in fact it was openly said that Canton aimed at convincing other provinces to be in favour of joining it because of its enlightened administration. Instead of making its two provinces the very best administered and controlled in China, it leaves many hundreds—even thousands—of its inhabitants at the mercy of robbers and pirates while its soldiers are taken away up country on a grandiose plan of conquest. We honestly think that has been bad in policy. President Sun has made a mistake because the better government he came to give is not being given to the folk of the country-side—those who needed it most. Whether or no he will succeed in his northern expedition we are not going to discuss here, but we do make an appeal for the better protection of those humble country folk on whom everything else in the country must rest. Canton owes them a duty,

NOTES & COMMENTS.

Street Robberies.

Ready sympathy will be felt for the elderly Chinese who applied to the Magistrate yesterday for a reduction of the sentence passed upon his son at the same time that the necessities of the case compel approval of Mr. Lindsell's adverse decision. The offender was the perpetrator of a street robbery the other day, when he snatched some money from a Chinese woman, for which he was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, and corporal punishment. Without disputing the justice of the sentence, the prisoner's father, a man of seventy-five, entreated a diminution of it on the ground that he was dependent upon the prisoner. It transpired that the father has another son, so that his plight is not so bad as at first appeared, though the old man looked an object for some compassion. But, as the Magistrate pointed out, the offence was a very bad one, especially in view of the intended victim's sex. Twice this week European ladies have been robbed, while the audacity of a certain lawless element was strikingly demonstrated only a few days ago by a tram being actually held up in the city. At such a time there is small room for clemency.

Pity the Poor Peer.

Not only the proletariat but the Peerage is feeling the pinch of H.C.L. So at least we are gravely assured by members of it, who, moreover, vouchsafe some particulars of their impecuniosity. Their Graces of Westminster and Northumberland have lately been in the estate market as vendors, and now Earl Spencer has decided to close down indefinitely the stately home of his ancestors, Althorp House, in Northamptonshire. For generations Althorp has entertained monarchs as well as nobles, foreign rulers as well as British. In 1650 the Grand Duke Cosmo described the mansion as "the best-arranged country-seat in the kingdom", and it is also famous for its art treasures and its gardens of wonderful beauty. Simultaneously the Marquis of Northampton was telling his London tenants that neither his country nor his town estates had yielded him a p cent since the armistice, all the income having been swallowed up by disbursements in connection with the property. Perhaps the noble lords derived a little consolation from the statistics for the past month, which showed a further fall in living costs. Certainly the post-war period has seen "the stately homes of England" changing hands upon an unprecedented scale.

Industrial Conditions.

In a speech at Manchester last month Mr. Clynes, who in general has shown himself one of the most level-headed of Labour leaders, laid down two conditions of a better spirit in industry: (1) employers must abandon the idea of yielding only to the force of a strike; and (2) workmen in every case must honour the bargain made by their representatives. In latter-day industrial history, whatever may have been the case formerly, the proportion of employers who yield "only to the force of a strike" probably represents a minority. This minority will do well to note Mr. Clynes' remark. Equally is it incumbent upon the workers to observe the second of Mr. Clynes' conditions. It is a simple fact that employers have been handicapped in entering into compacts by the knowledge that some sets of workers cannot be depended upon to adhere to a settlement. Broader views on both sides are, happily, becoming more prevalent.

CHINESE NEWS.

Peking telegrams state that the Chinese Bank Group has agreed to render assistance to the branches of the China and Communication Banks in Tientsin and Kalgan by redeeming a large quantity of their notes.

It has been decided that the Peking conference will be opened on the 20th and concluded by the 22nd.

In reply to Chao Kwong-yuen, tuchun of Kwangsi, in connection with the ammunition ordered by Sun Yat-sen from foreign countries, the Government has stated that the Ministry for Foreign Affairs has been instructed to request certain foreign ministers not to allow ammunition to enter Canton by way of either Hongkong or Macao.

DAY BY DAY.

IT IS SAFER TO BE SILENT THAN TO REVEAL ONE'S SECRET TO ANY ONE, AND TELLING HIM NOT TO MENTION IT.—Saddi.

H. E. the Governor has appointed Mr. Stewart Buckle Carnie Ross to be Postmaster General and Mr. Michael James Green to be Assistant Colonial Treasurer and Assistant Assessor of Rates, with effect from the 12th November, 1921.

Revenue Officer Lannigan with a party of Chinese officers raided No. 212 Shanghai Street, Yaumati, yesterday and seized 360 taels of raw opium. One man who was arrested in connection with the seizure was this morning fined \$4,800 with the alternative of eight months' hard labour by Mr. G. N. Orme.

In to-day's Government *Advertiser* tenders are being called for the erection of a new three-storeyed office for the Public Works Department, this to be erected near the present Government Offices: the construction of a reinforced concrete roof and office at the new ferry pier opposite Queen Victoria Street; and the construction of a new Police Station at Yaumati.

Unemployment is said to be the cause of the big exodus of Chinese emigrants from Singapore. Inspector Spear mentioned this fact in the Police Court this morning as a charge he preferred against six Chinese for stowing away on the s.s. *Van Cloon*, which yesterday arrived in port with 1,500 Chinese steerage passengers. A sentence of one month's hard labour was inflicted on each defendant.

A number of British merchants in the Colony, out of sympathy for the distress of the inhabitants of Ying Tak, where over 300 shops were recently burnt out and a number of houses destroyed through fire, last night sent a large consignment of food-stuffs by the steamer *Fatshan*. The consignment measured about four tons. Arrangements are being made for its proper distribution.

The Bazaar held by the sisters of the Italian Convent in aid of the orphans cared for by the institution was opened by the wife of the Italian Consul General, Madame Petrucci, at 10 o'clock this morning in the presence of a large crowd of visitors. The big hall, where the stalls were laid out, presented an animated scene as the visitors presented souvenir tickets and in exchange received presents, many of which represented many hours of work.

A beautiful dramatic picture entitled "Goli's Law" (released under the auspices of the Humanitarian Society of America) is being screened at the Hongkong Theatre to day and during the week end. It is a Universal film produced under the direction of Louis Weber, two outstanding facts which speak for themselves. It is unquestionably one of the most appealing stories ever shown upon the screen and should be seen by all Hongkong folk who are interested in the human side of life.

"I will save your Worship's time by admitting my guilt" was the remark made by a snatcher who was brought up this morning on a charge of stealing a gilt ear pick from a Chinese woman. "Cold and hunger and lack of clothing have driven me to this," he continued, in an attempt to ingratiate himself into the good graces of the Court. Strange to relate, Mr. R. E. Lindsell was unmoved by the plea and sentenced the defendant to nine months' rigorous imprisonment.

So as to enable the inmates of the Blind Home, Kowloon, and also the inmates of the Fukukin Foundling Home, to have a Christmas party, with gifts, Madame Lotte Gordon will give a special afternoon concert at the City Hall on the 15th December. Owing to Madame Gordon having preliminary arrangements in hand for the annual concert in January next, for the above institution, at the Theatre Royal, she has decided to make the tickets \$1 each for the Gift Fund. A very fine programme will be presented, including excerpts from Italian and French opera. Further particulars will be announced later.

PASSIM PAPERS.

Rambling Thoughts on Current Matters.

I see that the International Labour Conference wants the same rights, in certain respects, extended to the farm labourer as to other workmen. That is right and proper; only, I'm an old sentimentalist and I regret the passing of the old days and the old ways. The relations between farmer and farm labourer used to be a far more intimate thing than it is to-day or ever will be again. Who to-day ever hears of a "harvest home"? The "Kirk", I am afraid, is almost a thing of the past. Yet only a matter of 30 years ago it was the social event of the year in our rural districts. (This was before we went abroad to learn that Scotsmen had a patron saint.) With the cornfields cleared and everything under "thook and raipl" (where's your Mr. MacWhirter now?) the farmer with his family, his workers and friends celebrated the event in the barn. I have seen a hundred of us there and never a thought of going to bed at all in some of our young heads. The fare was homely, the dancing hearty if unpolished, the spirit of the kindest and warmest. That was an event looked forward to all during the harvest and recalled after with many a chuckle. But self-binders and things like that killed the old relationship; you cannot go through a country dance with a self-binder. Farmers and labourers have their "unions" now. They have become "modern." I suppose it is all for the best, like the rain this morning, but I regret the passing of the old days just the same. The old days had their points, as I remember them.

A Profound Truth.

It is astonishing how the truth will slip out unexpectedly at times. Who would have expected the Bishop of Victoria to say this the other day: "The idea of the concert was that people should meet and get to know each other?" Even as I write I have a sigh of relief of retrospection and regret. True—profoundly and painfully true—getting to know each other. I've seen and heard and suffered in my younger days. I was by way of being an elocutionist. That happens to most people, but generally they grow out of it before they are thirty. Some lost souls don't and for them we can only pray. Looking back on these old days I cannot feel it in my heart to blame the people who "got to know each other" while I was trying the best of three back falls with "Jud Browning"; but one felt aggrieved at the time because one had not been told what was the avowed object of the concert. Now I know and I am proud. I have played my part in the great scheme of things. I have helped people to get to know each other. I feel like walking on my heels.

Reminiscent.

Talking of concerts, what means this from a morning contemporary? "One noticed that the students' items were very well received, yet there was no response to ours. There must have been some understanding among themselves with regard to this." If it is so, one cannot help appreciating their thoughtfulness and unselfishness in the matter. Thoughtfulness — it's! That might have been better put, because one does wonder whether the refusal of encore proved the student-entertainers thoughtful of themselves or of the audience. But let that pass. The word concert always reminds me of a place called Whifflet, which is near Coastbridge—a town of ironworks and smoke and bad whisky. There is a poorhouse in Whifflet and your servant once attended a concert given to the inmates by well-meaning amateurs. The back row of the audience was filled with lunatics. It was a patient and long-suffering audience and it sat through songs that were peculiarly inappropriate. What they wanted was a laugh or two. What they had was the pulling of heart-strings. Presently there came one young lady who sang one of those sloppy songs that were popular at certain kinds of gatherings twenty years ago and may still be for all I know—sentimental and flabby morality mixed, with a dash of religion thrown in—a kind of musical ginseng. They stood it well did those poor people till from amongst the "looney" came the comment in a stentorian voice "Ach, to h—!" Musical criticism was not dead in those days.

Some Lottery!

I notice that some newspapers in the Far East are commenting on the repeated postponement of the drawing of the million tical lottery in Siam. But what did they expect? Siam is a comic-opera country which is run in a comic-opera way. You go to interview some minister who addresses you as though you were a child without understanding, and all the while you feel that if he were in Singapore Hongkong he might, with luck, earn fifty dollars a month and be harnessed from going near the stamps. There are European advisers in Siam, but they are there merely for "show pidgin"; their advice is taken only when they advise what their particular minister wants to do. There are newspapers in Bangkok, and they subscribe on a subsidy paid by the Government in order that they shall refrain from criticism or from telling the truth about the Government. No one who has ever been in Siam supposed that the lottery would be drawn on the date first suggested. An official promise kept in Siam would startle the population too greatly. Anyhow, the Wild Tiger Scouts,

to provide rifles for whom, if I remember rightly, the lottery is being run, can get along nicely for a bit longer. They are the King of Siam's pet lot, but they would cheer the heart of Fred Karno just the same. Many months ago an official announcement appeared in the newspapers of Bangkok to the effect that over 700,000 out of 1,000,000 tickets had been sold. That was not true. Over 700,000 tickets had been issued, which was not quite the same thing. But that's Siam!

Riches Thrust Upon Him!

I should dearly like to interview the coolie who picked up a Peak lady's gold bangle the other day, was at some pains to find her and had a whole dollar's thrust upon him. And I should like to publish it verbatim. Perhaps, however the language would not be fitting for a respectable column like this though Mr. MacWhirter might manage to bowdlerize it. He seems to have a gift for that sort of thing.

RAMBLER.

Between Ourselves

By Robt. MacWhirter.

Ye mind you jokesmith I was a more suitable time to practice telling ye about last night? Well his tin-whistle tunes but at a time he insinuated himself into our when there's something on at the place just on the chap o' four and demand an apology. What did I mean when I said that he'd paid to chit last night? Meant to pay it right enough, but having nothing but Shanghai bills in his pocket it was a bit awkward you know. Aye to be sure, but more awkward for Joe, him being the last in the queue and so had to pay. Man, some o' you Englishmen havna' enough sense to come in out of the rain. And me handing out a bouquet to Yorkshirman! Never again.

The seance at the King Edward wasn't ye would call a success. For one thing they took the best part of an hour to get outside my drink which looked to me too much o' one-sided arrangement for my taste. I like an argument myself but I like a stimulant at the same time. The only thing Joe produced in that line was of a mental nature. We finally got bogged down on a question as to whether realities or illusions were most productive of the greatest pleasure. That mind ya, early on a Friday night. Back and forward went the handball of conversation. Santa Claus. Our parents. Childhood's happy days. I don't remember much about it except that Joe, he said once that we all enjoyed our illusions in retrospect. It wasn't for me to contradict him. But when after a bit he wanted to know from no one in particular when an illusion became a reality I'd had enough and departed City Hall-ward to make the next drink a real one and to see my wife home. Metaphysics are all very well in their way but I never was good at that sort of thing on an empty stomach.

Aye, it was a busy place you City Hall last night and the decoration committee will soon need to be on the job. This year we've been promised no' quite so much display which is just as it should be, but there's one thing I hope they'll get right this year and that is our national flag. In the past those responsible for the hanging of yon flags have shown a woeful ignorance of the history of our country. The national flag of Scotland is the same as the Jardine's flag, the white St Andrew's Cross on a blue ground. Some folks will have it that the flag to be given greatest prominence to is the Scottish Standard, the red lion on the yellow ground. That's wrong altogether. The Scottish Standard was not the flag of Scotland at all but the personal flag of the King of Scotland and as such was displayed where the King was personally but never otherwise. No subject would have had the nerve to use it. The lion was the personal property of the King. But there was a national flag and that, as I've said was the white cross on the blue ground which could be flown anywhere and which to-day forms the background of our Union Jack. The red lion is often used, but it is wrong. The English never flew the three leopards, which they would do if they were following the idea of some ignorant Scot's folk. The English national flag was a red St. George's Cross on a white ground.

I dione's wish to appear thrown on the subject but I hope all the same that Mr. Lang will signalise his Chieftainship by sticking to our proper national flag, the white St. Andrew's Cross on the field of blue. If you don't believe me, thing to me that he cannae pick on look it up.

Other Photographs are included elsewhere in this page
for reproduction on this page.

New arrivals at the Metropol Cinema, Kowloon. Misses and Peacocks.

Yesterdays' Pictures, Gaudy, Gaudy, Gaudy, Gaudy, Gaudy, Gaudy.

These ladies are
the latest arrivals
at the Metropol Cinema, Kowloon. Let us hope, however, that they will be



Photo: H. Amoner Esq.
Corner where the two cars collided.



Photo: H. Amoner Esq.
The overturned car in the debris of Mr. Toke's little car, which resulted in the death of Mr. Toke's little son.



Photo: H. Amoner Esq.
Members of the Metropol Cinema and Kowloon Chinese clergy.

CAMERA NEWS

THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH. SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1921.

BANKING

WORLD-WIDE SERVICE

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TO-DAY'S SHARE QUOTATIONS.

	Stock Exchange.	Sharebrokers' Association.
	Banks.	
H. K. & S. Bank	s. 720	b. 720
535 paid	n. 705	n. 705
k. of E. Asia b. Old 102	New 98	b. 102
	Maries Insurance	
Cantons	b. 440	b. 429
North Chinas	n. 144	b. 144
Unions	n. 244	b. 243
Yangtze	n. 26	b. 27
Far Easters	n. 33	b. 24
	Fire Insurances.	
China Fires	b. 125	b. 129
H. K. Fires	b. sa. 350	b. 348
	Shipping.	
Douglas	n. 46	n. 45
H. K. Steamboats	b. 264	b. 26 s. 27
Indo (Pref.)	b. 331	s. 36
Indo Def. Lon/Reg.	s. 290	
Indo Def. H. K. Reg.	s. 280	
Shells	s. 93	b. 95
Ferries	b. sa. 36	b. 354
	Refineries.	
Sugars	n. 190	s. 188
Malabons	n. 48	n. 45
Kailan Langkai	b. 90/-	b. 90/-
Shanghai Loans	{ n. \$10	{ s. 12
Shai Explorations	b. \$1	b. 1
Raubs	b. 226	
Tronachs	n. 15	
Ural Caspian	P. 190	
Benguet Con		
H. K. Wharves	b. ca. 92	b. 91
K. Docks	s. 189 sa. 188	s. 187
Shai Docks	n. 120	b. 121
N. Enginings	n. 10	b. 10
Lands, Metals & Buildings.		
Centrals	b. 145	b. 150
H. K. Hots	b. 234	b. 234 sa. 234
H. K. Lands	n. 207	b. 207
H. Phreys Eat	b. 104	b. 106
Klooc Lands	b. 45 sa. 46	b. 45
L. Reclamation	b. 157	b. 158
West Points	b. 53	b. 54
Cotton Mills		
Ewos	n. 80	n. 20
Orientals	n. 15	n. 15
Shai Cottons	sa. 138	n. 141
Miscellaneous.		
Cements	b. sa. 264	b. 2660 s. 2690
China Light old	s. 14	s. 134
China Light new	s. 13.90	s. 13.15
China Providents	b. 13	b. 13
Dairy Farms	b. 25	b. 25
Electrics H. K.	b. 24.60 s. 244	b. 24.60 s. 24.30
Electric Macao	n. 50	n. 38
Hongkong Ropes	3914 sa. 3816	b. 3814 s. 3816
H. K. Tramways	sa. 145	b. 145 s. 145
Peak Trams, old	n. 94	b. 9
Do. new	b. 1	b. 1
Steam Laundries	b. 94	n. 10
Steel Foundries	b. 12	b. 12
Water-boat	n. 17.85	s. 18
Watsons	b. 9.10	b. 9.10
Wm. Powells	b. 20	n. 19
Wisemans	n. 29	s. 29

Hongkong, November 19, 1921.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE OPIUM QUESTION.

London, Nov. 18. Correspondence between Britain and China is published to-night with reference to the increasing cultivation of opium in China. It concludes with a strongly worded British note, presented on 20th June, affirming that poppy cultivation in Kansu and Hunan has enormously increased under the direct encouragement of the authorities. It says that the British Government "and people are indignant to learn of the gross bad faith displayed by the Government of China, who are guilty of a direct and flagrant breach of their solemn treaty obligations to Britain. When the facts become known the whole civilised world will be united in condemning the retrogression of the Chinese authorities in permitting, and in numerous cases, encouraging the revival of the opium traffic. The Government anticipates that this lapse from good faith will not be allowed to pass unnoticed by the League of Nations, who appointed a special Commission to investigate the opium question."

PORT INTELLIGENCE.

The following shipping and mail intelligence has been corrected to noon to-day:

Vessels Arrived.

Vessel	Agents	From	Mooring
Hydrangea	Chia On S. Co. & S.	Swallow	Wharf B. 12
Szechuan		Shanghai & Swallow	Wharf
Eastern	E. & S. Co.	Shantung & Nanking	C. M.
Cadopak	E. & S. Co.	Kwang & Swallow	Wharf
Amakusa M.	U. S. K.	San Francisco & Manila	A. 1
Tenyo M.	T. K. K.	Osaka & Karatsu	C. 47
Yer Maru 2	Y. & C. Co.	Osaka & Nippon	Wharf C. 39
Indus M.	O. S. K.	Kwang-Ngan Seng	Wharf
Kaiwo M.	C. M. S. Co.	Rangoon & Kohchang	Wharf
Kwangtung	C. M. S. Co.	Shanghai	Wharf
Tsahan		Canton	"
Wah Hang	Wing Hang	Port Baysard & Macao	"

Clearances.

Vessel	Agents	Where Bound	Departure
Taiwana	Yan Fat	Kwang Chow Wan	13th Nov.
Tydeus	B & S.	Manila & New York	"
Wimache	Admiral Line	Shanghai & Seattle	"
Hwah Han	Chia Yue Tong	Hainan	"
Kwang Lee	C. M. S. Co.	Canton	"
Gensu M.	N. Y. K.	Singapore	"
Tean	B & S.	Amoy & Swallow	"
Ishu M.	O. S. K.	Canton	"
Kaiwo M.	C. M. S. Co.	Kwang Chow Wan	"
Wah Hang	Wing Hang	"	"

Impending Departures.

(Compiled from our Shipping Advertisements.)

Vessel	Agents	Destination	Sailing Date
Fushimi M.	P & O	Victoria	13th Nov.
Shantung	B & S.	Tangtau	13th
Namhang	J. M. C.	Orchard	13th
Gensu M.	N. Y. K.	Colombo	13th
Takasang	M. C. Co.	Hokkaido	13th
Hupan	B & S.	Haiphong	13th
Nellor	N. Y. K.	Japan	13th
Yokohama M.	N. Y. K.	Japan	13th
Luna M.	P & O	Tanda	13th
Wanda	P & O	Tanda	13th
Wendy	P & O	Tanda	13th
Bombay M.	P & O	Yokohama	13th
London	D. L. & Co.	Vancouver	13th
Haibong	N. Y. K.	Foochow	13th
Montague	A. L. & Co.	Yokohama	13th
City of Delhi	B & S.	Glasgow	13th
Niechuen	B & S.	Shanghai	13th
Chengtu	B & S.	Bangkok	13th
Tungting	B & S.	Swallow	13th
Kwangtung	B & S.	Singapore	13th
E. of Japan	C. P. S. L.	San Francisco	13th
Nanking	C. M. C.	Singapore	13th
Matsuwa	N. Y. K.	Helsingfors	13th
West Carmons	S & D	Hamburg	13th
Morioka M.	N. Y. K.	Amoy	13th
Marano	N. Y. K.	Perak	13th
Hozu M.	N. Y. K.	London	13th
Taiwa M.	N. Y. K.	Kobe	13th
Shidzuka M.	N. Y. K.	Bangkok	13th
Itakang	J. M. C.	Tientsin	13th
Chirang	P & O	Shanghai	13th
Huchow	B & S.	Shanghai	13th

Impending Arrivals.

(Supplied by our Advertisers.)

Vessel	Agents	From	Due Hongkong
Gensu M.	N. Y. K.	Moji	13th Nov.
Tenyo M.	T. K. K.	Manila	13th
Eastern	M. M. C.	Manila	13th
Yokohama M.	N. Y. K.	Singapore	20th
Bowers Castle	D & C.	Singapore	20th
Luna M.	P & O	London	20th
Kathay	P & O	Manila	20th
Kit. of the Quarter	P & O	Singapore	20th
Nelore	T. K. K.	Manila	21st
Taiyama M.	N. Y. K.	Manila	22nd
Itakang	B & S.	Kobe	23rd
Morioka M.	N. Y. K.	Kobe	23rd
Katori M.	N. Y. K.	Kobe	24th
Klei	N. Y. K.	London	24th
Tsiria	B & S.	Suez	24th
Korea M.	T. K. K.	Yokohama	24th
E. of Russia	C. P. S. L.	Yokohama	24th
Itakang	T. K. K.	Calcutta	3rd
Takada	M. M. C.	London	6th
Mishima M.	N. Y. K.	London	10th
Dongola	P & O	London	12th
Sado M.	N. Y. K.	London	22nd

Consignees Diary.

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Vessel	Agents	Goods Stored</th
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PEININSULAR & ORIENTAL SAILINGS (South)

S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong (about)	Destination
NYANZA	7,000	25 Nov. 11 a.m.	Miles, London & Antwerp
LAHORE	15,200	6th Dec.	Spore, Colombo & B'ham
SOMALI	6,700	10th Dec.	Miles, London & Antwerp

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)

ARRATOON A	4,500	5th Dec.	Calcutta via Straits
EASTERN	4,000	12th Dec.	{ Melbourne via Manila, Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane and Sydney.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South)

EASTERN	4,000	12th Dec.	{ Melbourne via Manila, Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane and Sydney.
TANDA	7,000	21st Nov. d'light.	Amoy, Shai & Kobe.
EASTERN	4,000	21st Nov.	Yokohama direct.

NELLORE

NELLORE	7,000	22 Nov. 4 p.m.	Shai, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama
All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.			

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Parcels Measuring not more than 3 ft. x 3 ft. x 1 ft. will be received at the Company's Office up to noon on the day previous to sailing.

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Agents.

N. Y. K.

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VICTORIA, SEATTLE & VANCOUVER via Shai & Japan ports.
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KATORI MARU (Calling Manila) Saturday, 3rd Dec., at 11 a.m.
KASHIMA MARU ... Tuesday, 27th Dec., at 11 a.m.
SUWA MARU (Calling Manila) Saturday, 14th Jan., at 11 a.m.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP via Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Suez & Port Said.

SHIZUOKA MARU ... Thursday, 24th Dec., at 11 a.m.
HAKONE MARU ... Friday, 9th Dec., at 11 a.m.
YOKOHAMA MARU ... Friday, 23rd Dec., at 11 a.m.

HAMBURG via LONDON & ROTTERDAM.
MATSUYE MARU ... Wednesday, 23rd November.

LIVERPOOL, via MARSEILLES. KAMAKURA MARU ... Wednesday, 7th December.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Zamboanga, Thursday Island, Townsville & Brisbane.

TANGO MARU ... Tuesday, 20th Dec., at 11 a.m.
NIKKO MARU ... Tuesday, 17th Jan., at 11 a.m.

NEW YORK via PANAMA & CUBAN PORTS.
DELAGOA MARU ... Friday, 23rd Nov.

NEW YORK via SUEZ. TSUYAMA MARU ... End of December.

RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS & BUENOS AIRES via Cape.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.

GENOA MARU ... Saturday, 19th November.

KAGA MARU ... Wednesday, 7th December.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Bangkok.

MORIOKA MARU ... Thursday, 24th November.

TSUSHIMA MARU ... Sunday, 11th December.

NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

NIKKO MARU ... Friday, 16th Dec., at 11 a.m.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

BOMBAY MARU (Omitting Shanghai) Monday, 21st Nov.

YOKOHAMA MARU ... Monday, 21st Nov. at 11 a.m.

LIMA MARU (Calling Nagasaki) Monday, 21st Nov.

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Steamer	From	Expected on or about	Will leave on or about	To
Chidhar	Java	in port	—	—
Tijpanas	Java	20th Nov.	26th Nov.	Saigon, Java
Titaroem	Shai/Amoy	25th Nov.	27th Nov.	Java
Karimata	Java	28th Nov.	—	—
Haldis	Java	3rd Dec.	—	—

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Steamer	From	Expected on or about	Will leave on or about	To
Tjilasak	Java	21st Nov.	23th Nov.	Frisco via Cebu, Manila
Tjilboet	Java	second half of Dec.	—	—

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HAIPHONG via Hoihow Taksang Sun. 20th Nov. at 10 a.m.

SAI & Tzu via Stow Tengking Tues. 22nd Nov. at 10 a.m.

KOBE ... Lalsang Thur. 24th Nov. at 10 a.m.

BANGKOK ... Chumsang Thur. 24th Nov. at 10 a.m.

MANILA ... Loongsang Fri. 25th Nov. at 3 p.m.

SANDAKAN ... Hinsang Fri. 2nd Dec. at noon.

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